

EDINBURGH, the 10. day of January, 1654.

HE Commissioners for Administration of Justice to the People in *Scotland*, Having considered the Ordinance lately published in Print, Ordaining that in all Courts, VVrits, Patents, Processes, and all other Papers within the Commonwealth of *England*, *Scotland*, and *Ireland*, and the Dominions thereunto belonging, in stead of the name, stile, title, and teste of (*The Keepers of the Liberty of England, by Authority of Parliament*) heretofore used, The name, stile, title, and teste of *The Lord Protector for the time being of the Commonwealth of England, Scotland, and Ireland, and the Dominions thereto belonging*, be used, and no other; And that the date be in the year of our Lord, and no other: and authorizing and requiring all Judges, Justices, Officers, and Ministers of Justice whatsoever, to take notice therof, and proceed accordingly, as is more fully expressed in the said Ordinance; Do by vertue, and in pursuance thereof, require the Director of the Chancery, Clerks of the Court of Justice for Civill and Criminall Causes, Keepers of the Signet, VWrivers thereto, and all other Members and Officers depending upon, or relating to the Court of Justice, that in all VVrits, Papers, and Proceedings which shall occur in, and fall under their severall Offices and Charges, they use the name, stile and teste of *The Lord Protector for the time being of the Commonwealth of England, Scotland, and Ireland, and Domonions thereunto belonging*, and no other in the vice and place of *The Keepers of the Liberty of England, by Authority of Parliament*: And hereof the said Director of the Chancery, and other persons aforesaid, depending upon, or relating to the Court of Justice, are to take speciall notice, and observe the same accordingly. And Ordains these presents to be published at the Mercat Crofse of *Edinburgh* by sound of Trumpet, and Printed.

Craigball.

A. Peirson. Geo. Smyth.

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